

THE GLEICHEN TRADING CO.

Tenth Year, No. 8

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1910

Per Year \$1.50

LOCAL AND GENERAL

There are two lonesome looking Patriotic grain tanks just where you pass to the elevators.

Matthews & Kidney are making a good success of their big sale of the Gleichen Trading Co. stock.

G. W. Evans has a car load of furniture on the road and will make an announcement next week.

Dog licenses are now due and cost on \$1 and \$4. See Secretary P. McLean if you live your dog.

Wild geese in great numbers have been around for the past few weeks, but most of them have now gone further north.

W. Saunders' four-year old boy fell off the veranda at his house one last week and broke his arm, but is recovering nicely.

Mr. David Robertson of Queens town accompanied his son W. H. and family to town Monday. This being his first visit to Gleichen since last fall. He is still looking well and wears a smile that none can offend.

Messrs. W. H. McKie and G. K. McKie left Sunday afternoon for Lethbridge to join the 117th Killies. A good crowd of friends were at the station to see them off. They expect to return here again in about two weeks and no doubt in full uniform.

George Goodenham returned on Sunday after spending the winter in Toronto at his home and his numerous friends were pleased to greet him and see that he was enjoying good health. He was glad to get back and says that east the snow is still piled high along the railway.

Several of the soldier boys have arrived from Calgary to assist the farmers with seedling operations for a month. They were not allowed to take their uniforms with them and as most of them disposed of their civilian clothes when they enlisted they have had great fun borrowing clothing from their friends.

Bert Irvine has been moved permanently to Calgary and promoted to the rank of Sergeant Major. He has been at Gleichen for a number of years in charge of the local detachment of the R.N. W.M.P., and while his friends regret his departure from town they are also pleased to learn that he has received the promotion he so well deserved and worked for. No doubt he will have frequent opportunities of visiting Gleichen.

The annual meeting of the Gleichen Presbyterian Church was held in the Methodist Church on Wednesday night last week. Rev. A. Boyd occupying the chair. The reports from the different departments showed the church to be in a very flourishing condition. The receipts for 1910 to the end of March being \$670. It was decided to hold an annual congregational meeting in future during the first week of the New Year. The board of management for 1910 were appointed as follows: Peter McLean, secretary; C. B. Hyndman, treasurer; the other members of the board are Mrs. Thomsen, Mrs. J. A. MacDonald and Mrs. Wm. Gordon.

Alfalfa Fed Steers Bring High Prices

A lot of steers which were wintered in this district were sold a few days ago at a price of \$7.55 per hundred weight, which averaged out at \$10.61 per steer. There were 34 steers in this lot; the average weight was 1,412 pounds per steer, and it isn't necessary to tell the farmer reader that the greater gets a very handsome return from his alfalfa field.

The steers were run on the stubble fields until the first of January of this year, when feeding was started with about half a ton of alfalfa and half a ton of alfalfa per head, divided among 35 animals. Feed was given at this average rate for the first 25 days. For the next 45 days the cattle had one full load of alfalfa and one load of alfalfa each day, the alfalfa being fed in the morning and the alfalfa at night. By this system the cattle ate the best of the grain in the morning, and in the evening the alfalfa was thrown over the straw which was left. This resulted in practically all the straw and alfalfa being eaten together, and with splendid gain resulted. Following the cattle about 25 tons were kept in good condition without other feed. The best steers were Aberdeen-Angus grades. There were a few Herefords and the rest Short-horn stock.

Mr. Ben Cool, the farmer who marketed these steers, started growing alfalfa in 1912, and has increased his acreage until he now has 90 acres in alfalfa, of which 45 acres were seeded last spring. From his older fields he is now harvesting about three tons of alfalfa per acre. He is much pleased with the feeding value of alfalfa and the fact that alfalfa shows that it is a money making crop. Alfalfa-growing eliminates most of the dangers which beset grain crops and on account of its protein content it is an ideal feed to go with straw or hay for stock feeding. Alfalfa has the further great advantage that after cropping a field for a number of years the soil is more fertile than it was in its natural state, or before devoted to alfalfa. There is more alfalfa grown in the irrigation districts of Southern Alberta than in all the rest of Western Canada, except British Columbia, and it is rapidly becoming identified as the favorite crop among irrigation farmers.

Sale of Sewing and Home-Made Cooking

If you desire to purchase new aprons for spring come to the sale to be held at Mrs. Bray's home on Saturday next, April 8th, at 2 o'clock and the ladies of the Presbyterian Aid will supply your wants. We have quite an assortment of pretty, well made, serviceable aprons and of almost any size you may wish, with reasonable prices.

Home-made bread, pies, cakes, etc., will also be on sale. They are served.

A purse of \$5.40 has been awarded to the Gleichen cadet corps by the Strathcona Trust for the annual drill in 1910 inspection. This money is to be used in the purchasing of some kind of trophy to stimulate greater enthusiasm among the boys.

796,398 BU. GRAIN RECEIVED

There will be little grain shipped until after the 20th of this month as consignments will not be accepted until then for Fort William, when it is expected navigation will be opened on the Great Lakes.

All the local elevators are about full excepting the Farmers, where a good business is being done. Work on the Alberta Pacific addition is now in full swing although it has been difficult to obtain carpenters and a few Indians are employed. It is expected that it will be ready for use within two weeks.

During the week 24,715 bushels have been received, 20,000 of wheat and 4,625 of oats, thus making this season's total 796,398.

Only four carloads were shipped for the week, but four more were loaded yesterday, which makes 454 for the season from there. Two were shipped from Stobart, which totals 32 from that point.

The roads have been pretty fair for hauling and the farmers are taking advantage of it as they will soon have to devote their attention to seeding, a few having already started the work.

Gleichen Patriotic Fund \$1,231.88

On March 28th the Gleichen Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund had received one thousand two hundred and thirty-one dollars eighty-eight cents and more has since come in. Considering that the movement has only started in this district it is an excellent showing, but beyond doubt this is only the starting point—Gleichen and Generosity go hand-in-hand. The financial statement as supplied the Cash by Treasurer R. R. Gilbert is given below:

Donations for Auction Sale March 25th	
Wm Brown & Son, 5 bushel wheat	8. 95
Irwin Young, duck	1. 50
Mr J Young, 3 dos eggs	2. 25
Mr Jas Millie, chickens	1. 00
Gibson & Larkin, 12 boxes of bread	4. 40
Bennett Bros., 3 sacks potatoes, 1 of rutabagas	7. 75
R. Goble, 2 sacks potatoes	3. 50
John Arnold, 2 chickens	2. 00
John Peter Nelson, cake	2. 00
Mr W F Erford, roast turkey	13. 00
T W Snowden, 10 bushel seed Marquis wheat	5. 00
Mr Pinder, pie and cake	2. 25
John Arnold, 2 sacks seeds 4.25, 194 oats \$1.20	38. 45
Mr Breerton, 2 roasters	3. 00
Mr C Barsch, cake 1.75 and towel 3.00	2. 75
J Emmerichs, 50 bushels oats	17. 00
Mr Cameron, cake	1. 50
R R Gierret, turkey	5. 50
D H Crapp, 2 sacks potatoes	3. 75
Lawrence Thomas, dressed chicken	2. 00
W Harrison, turkey	3. 00
R Burne, 50 lb. Gorton seed oats	6. 00
Fred Williams, cake rutabagas	5. 50
Mrs David McLean, 4 dos eggs and 2 lb. butter	3. 10
Mrs David McLean, 4 dos eggs and 2 lb. butter	1. 55
A Friend, 9 dozen eggs	2. 70
Total auction March 25th	\$ 160.10

Donations not previously acknowledged	
J A MacDonald	2. 00
H Stainholm	2. 00
Rev A Boyd	5. 00
J A McLean	5. 00
D L Gierret, sec. 10-20 Majoville	12. 50
W W Brown	5. 00
Canon Stinson	1. 00
Gleichen Hockey Club, re \$2nd Battalion	12. 50
C B Hyndman	2. 00
Mr Wm Rose	10. 00
Frank Daw	10. 00
J H Semmons	10. 00
Wm Hill	10. 00
Blackfoot Indians	207. 00
Charles Russell	3. 00
Milo Patriotic Committee	12. 50
A R Yates	9. 00
Mr Wm Wilson	10. 00
John Martin	10. 00
Joe Desjardins	5. 00
Total donations not previously acknowledged	\$115.38

Donations previously acknowledged, sale March 4	
Auction sale March 25th	\$ 160.10
Donations at above	445.38
Remitted to Headquarters at Calgary	700.00
Milo Patriotic meeting	15.00
Printing	2.00
Balance on hand in Bank March 25th, 1910,	514.35
	\$1,231.88

The success of the sale has been largely due to the efforts of Mr. T. H. Brady, the auctioneer, to whom the committee wish to convey expressions of most sincere thanks.

MISCELLANEOUS

Notices under this heading 25 words or under for one issue and 5 lines for \$1. Over 25 words one cent a word charged for each insertion.

Horses and Cattle lost and found, for sale and wanted: Seed grain for sale and wanted: Land to sell, rent or buy, and any other of a similar nature will get quick results by being published under this heading.

Brand, feeding notices \$1.50 for each animal, three insertions. Over 25 words 1 cent per word extra each issue. In order to insure publication CASH MUST accompany each notice.

FOR SALE—Pure Rhode Island Bantams for sitting at \$1 for \$5 or \$5 per hundred. Apply to Mrs. A. N. Manly, Box 18, Calgary.

LOST—In town small black lamb (try leaf, with milpash, apply to Mrs. W. F. Collins.

FOR SALE—Any one requiring a Registered Biskette Box 2 years old apply to Phone 1030 or P.O. Box 110, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—Two registered City-donk stallions, four and five years old. Apply to Frank Law.

LOST—Sometime last fall dark bay mare, about four years old, branded dragging on the right neck. \$5 reward for information leading to recovery. Apply to R. Keatley, Glen, Alta.

WANTED—At once heavily bred, Mrs. Williams, Pimrose Farm, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—Spring Seed 800 bushels. Apply to A. N. McLeay, Box 110, Gleichen.

LOST—On Saturday River and white pointer, (Shelt) brown collar on anyone having information that will lead to recovery will receive substantial reward. Apply to J. Russell, 3rd.

FOR SALE—About 130 lbs. of work horses weighing about 1800 lbs. each. Apply to Wm. Hill, Redway, 3.

LOST—One light bay gelding with bald face and white eyes, weight about 1200 lbs., branded on left side of neck. Reward for information leading to recovery. This, Jones, Glen, Alta.

FOR SALE—Black grey Freshbone Stallion "Sensation" 4500 lbs., bred by George Lane, Sigs "Part" 1200 lbs., and "Sensation" 2000 lbs. I have had this fine registered animal for four seasons and found him a sure foot getter. For full particulars apply to John H. Wilson, Gleichen.

STRAY HORSE—A brown horse, rising three years, branded on the right shoulder. Owner apply to J. J. Latham, sec. 10-20 Majoville, Alta.

FOR SALE—300 bushels of first class Baskerville, 50 lb per bushel at \$1.50. Also good potatoes for sale. Bennett Bros, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—The south east 1 sec. 21, T. 16 R. 24, the John Mason place, all land except 20 acres, fence, house, stable, well, etc. Price \$25 per acre, cash down \$1000, balance on 10% interest. Apply to John Giesling, Mito, P.O. Alta.

STRAY—From ranch of Casper Hartich, one dark bay gelding, well clipped, white spot on head, pig iron teeth, branded on left side of neck. Reward for information as to whereabouts. Ask Matthews.

LOST OR STOLEN—Brown mare, small white spots on forehead, 5 years old, branded on left side of neck, together on the right jaw, weighs about 1200 lbs. Has been missing over a year. \$100 reward for information leading to recovery. Apply to John Desjardins, Box 101, Gleichen.

THE GLEICHEN TRADING CO. BARGAINS

We are determined to clean out every article on hand when we bought this stock.

SEE OUR WINDOWS AND BARGAIN TABLES FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY MATTHEWS & KIDNEY, Ltd.

Troublesome Charges Laid at Ottawa

Here in brief are the charges laid in Ottawa which are raising such a disturbance and into which the government has demitted a thorough inquiry:

- 1.—The American Automobile company was capitalized in the State of Virginia in May, 1910, with a capitalization of \$1,000,000 and a subscribed capital of \$1,000,000. The company was a dummy. It had no plant, building or machinery of any kind.
- 2.—The International Arms and Fuse company was organized on June 3, 1915, in New York with a capitalization of \$1,500,000 and a subscribed capital of \$500,000. It was a dummy company without plant, building or machinery of any kind.
- 3.—On June 19, 1915, the Dominion shell committee gave the International Arms and Fuse company a contract for 2,500,000 time fuses at \$1.80 each. The committee gave \$1,125,000 cash with the order and \$650,500 four months later, a total of \$1,687,500. Up to March 14th only 6,000 shells had been delivered.
- 4.—On the same day the shell committee handed over to the American Automobile company a contract for 1,686,666 granu fuses at \$1 each, and \$33,834 time fuse at \$1.40 each. The committee advanced \$1,041,000 with the order and \$220,850 four months later, a total of \$1,562,850. On March 14th only 2,000 time fuses and 445,000 granu fuses had been delivered.
- 5.—On June 10, nine days before the contract was let an agreement was entered between Cadwell, the president of the American Automobile Co., F. F. Youkum of New York and E. W. Bassick of Bridgeport, to divide the profits of \$1,000,000 in connection with this order of June 15.
- 6.—J. Wesley Allison, Eugene Lignault and B. F. Youkum shortly after the war commenced formed partnership for carrying on the purchase of war supplies. In the American Automobile Co. contract Allison and Youkum divided up \$425,000.
- 7.—In other contracts, either received or pending Allison and Youkum were to receive as profit \$1,600,000.
- 8.—Sir Sam Hughes as minister of militia sanctioned the contract to the companies in question.

Mrs. R. A. Brown underwent a surgical operation more than a week ago in a Calgary hospital and her many friends will be pleased to learn she is improving nicely.

Don't worry about the price of meat—drink **Booril**

Digestive Troubles

cause headache, biliousness, constipation, impure blood and other unpleasant symptoms. If these troubles are neglected they weaken the body and open the way for serious illness. Many chronic diseases may be traced back to indigestion that could have been immediately

relieved by

Beecham's Pills. This well-known home remedy has proven itself dependable, safe and speedy during sixty years' use. The fame of having a larger sale than any other medicine in the world proves the dependable, remedial value of

BEECHAM'S PILLS
Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold Everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents.

Protection for the Musk-ox

Rare Northern Ruminant is Following the Buffalo to Extinction

Robes made from the skins of musk-oxen are very valuable. As the musk-ox inhabits high latitudes, it has a coat capable of withstanding cold. At the base of its long, flowing hair is a thick coat of wool, thus making a pelt which is both beautiful and warm. Musk-oxen are not plentiful and as they inhabit the desolate barren lands of the north, the supply is very limited.

The musk-ox is not difficult to kill, as it is not dangerous and does not seek safety in flight. If hunted with dogs, the herd will stand at bay as with wolves, presenting an invincible front of horns to their animal foes, but in an easy mark for the man with a gun. As a result, musk-ox robes promise to become as rare as buffalo robes to-day.

The question of protection of musk-ox is an important one, in view of their diminishing numbers, the ease with which they may be shot and the high market value of their skins. If it is not to be completely exterminated, the Dominion Government must do as it has done with the buffalo, namely, provide a reserve within which musk-oxen will be absolutely protected at all times. Such a reserve would serve to maintain a nucleus herd, from which the surrounding country could be stocked.

Musk-oxen form an important item in the food and clothing supply of the Eskimos, and we owe it to our northern people, who live in a country where nature is niggard of her resources, to see that they are not deprived of necessities that our wealthy classes may bring to their luxuries.

Britain's Strength

The 12,000 or 15,000 factories that, according to Lord Kitchener, are turning out munitions for six million soldiers in the spring, the five millions of pounds sterling that England spends daily without visible effort; this is England's force; hitherto we have felt it as latent and diffused; now it is being transformed, day by day, into energy that is actual and real and disciplined for combat. (Lindsay Post.)

TOO MANY CHILDREN

are under-size, under-weight with pinched faces and poor blood; they do not complain but appetite lags, they have no ambition and do not progress.

Such children need the rich medicinal nourishment in **Scott's Emulsion** above everything else; its pure cod liver oil contains nature's own blood-forming, flesh-building fats which quickly show in rosy cheeks, better appetite, firm flesh and sturdy frames.

If your children are languid, tired when rising, catch cold easily or find their studies difficult, give them **Scott's Emulsion**; it supplies the very food elements that their systems lack.

Scott's Emulsion contains no harmful drugs and is so good for growing children it's a pity to keep it from them.

Scott & Borne, Toronto, Ontario.

W. N. U. 1295

Germans Prepare New Gas Shells

French Reservist Says Allies Will Move When They Use Gas on Scale Used by Huns.

Capt. Raoul Vennal, a French reservist, home on leave after 18 months with the French army, believes Canadians could do more than they realize to hasten the end of the war by refusing to buy any goods of German origin and by planning to exclude them after the war. There is, he said, evidence that such efforts in France and Great Britain have already created great uneasiness among German merchants who want peace before such a movement gained headway.

Capt. Vennal, does not believe an unbreakable deadlock has developed on the western front. He stated it was unbreakable as far as the Germans are concerned. At the Marne where the Germans had twice the number of men and 50 times the amount of artillery, they failed to break through, and now, with the allies growing stronger, their hope is faint.

"But can the allies break through the Germans?" he was asked.

"As soon as we are prepared to use gas on the same scale that they do, I think we will move," he answered. "I believe we could move now, only the French desire to discover the best protector against a new gas which the Germans are believed to be preparing on a large scale—the gas toxique. This is a colorless gas with a smell something like apples and it kills. The men were always uneasy after the first use of gas until they were provided with good lung protectors."

"The Germans use three kinds of gas—lacrymogene, which has a smarting effect on the eyes and which the Germans use constantly; the mixite gas, having both the properties of lacrymogene and toxique gases; and the toxique with cyanide, one of its components and which the Germans have used so far only experimentally, because it is dangerous for them as well as for us."

"What about the French turpentine?" he was asked. "Is it not more terrible than any of the gases?"

"I have talked with many artillerymen about that and they all say that turpentine is a myth. Germans found dead at their guns were killed by the force of the explosion of one of the projectiles from our 75 millimetre guns. I think that the explosion exerts such an effect on the air that it tears a man's lungs to pieces by the rush of the air in and out, and he dies instantly."

"The English and Canadian soldiers are good. Our men admire the way in which they throw bombs and grenades. They make sport of it, and keep a tally of the hits and misses. There was one man who used to catch German bombs thrown over as though he were at cricket or baseball, and pitch them back to the enemy trenches. The eleventh one he threw this way exploded, blowing his arm off. He got the V. C. for it, however."

KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are so changeable—one bright, the next cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in over-heated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or gripple. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Saving Time on the Farm

On the majority of farms little attention is paid to the conserving of time and energy in the conducting of the farm work. Farmers often send to the fields two horse-outfits which require two men to operate them, when one could drive the four horses and plough two furrows as well as one, or could join the two sets of harrows and perform the work which formerly required two men. On one of the farms by thus combining the implements, one had drove four horses hitched to the roller, behind which were attached the harrows, and in this way covered 26 acres in one day, performing at one time the two operations of rolling and harrowing.

A Corrector of Pulmonary Troubles

Many testimonials could be presented showing the great efficacy of Dr. Theis' Electric Oil in curing disorders of the respiratory processes, but the best testimonial is experience and the Oil is recommended to all who suffer from these disorders with the certainty that they will find relief. It will allay inflammation in the bronchial tubes as no other preparation can.

Beef and Dairying in the U. S.

In the United States there was, in the five years ending with 1914, a steady decline in the number of cattle other than milch cows. The total decline for the five years was nearly 6,000,000 head. During the same time the number of dairy cattle remained about stationary. In the last year, however, cattle, other than milch cows, showed an increase of over 2,500,000, while milkers have increased by less than half that number. In the United States as well as here, the drift is from dairying to the beef end—an excellent reason for staying with the former.

Mrs. Gaddy—Mrs. Richly has so much embonpoint.

Mrs. Comcup—And I bet she brags she imported it, like everything else she has, from Paris.

Jerry—I have traced my ancestry back to an Irish king.

Pat—Sure that's aisy. What chance has a dead man to defend himself?

Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner—distress—cure indigestion—improve the complexion—brighten the eyes. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

Genuine must bear Signature **Wm. Wood**

Keep The Rats Away

They will not touch a harness treated with

EUREKA HARNESS OIL

That is because Eureka contains no vegetable or animal fat. Keeps your harness soft, pliable, strong.

Dealers Everywhere

THE IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY

Branches in all Cities

LITTLE THINGS COUNT

Even in a match you should consider the "Little Things," the wood—the composition—the strikeability—the flame.

EDDY'S MATCHES

are made of strong dry pine stems, with a secret perfected composition that guarantees "Every Match A Light." 65 years of knowing how—that's the reason! All Eddy products are dependable products—Always.

Of Course

It was little Eddy's first term at school and his mother had been telling the rich old uncle how well the little boy was getting along with his studies and how dearly he loved his school.

"Well, my little man," said the uncle as the child returned home, "what do you do in school all day?"

"I wait till it's time to go home," was Teddy's matter-of-fact reply.

Thousands of mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, because they know from experience how useful it is.

Political Independence

Canada's Participation in the War Not the Result of Pressure or Force

It does not seem to be fully realized by citizens of other countries that for all practical purposes Canada enjoys the fullest political independence. The affairs of the Canadian people are attended to by the Canadian people through the representatives which they elect to their provincial and Dominion parliaments. This needs to be emphasized just now when attempts are being made to give the impression that Canada's participation in the war is the result of the influence brought by Great Britain. Such a statement is not true, and the best way of correcting it is to quote from the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the opening of the Dominion parliament at Ottawa.

Sir Wilfrid said: "I hold no brief for the government, but I have been in office for fifteen years, and I say that there is no foundation for such an assertion. On the part of Great Britain there has been no demand, no command and no request. What we have done we have done in the full power of our legislative independence. What we have done we have done, not under the sense of compulsion, but as British subjects. We owe it to ourselves to sacrifice our treasure and blood to maintain British institutions. Such is the spirit of the British constitution that not even the king or the parliament of England has the right to command Canada to supply a single soldier or a single dollar. It is as free men we have done this thing."

Excited Lady—Why don't you interfere to stop that dog fight?

Bystander—I was just a-go'in' to, mum, but you kin calm y'r fears now. My dog is on top at last, mum.

First Tommy (waiting to pick off a German patrol) to his pal—They'd ought to be 'ere afore now, Bill—I do 'ope as nothin' 'appened to them!

Should Conserve All Fertilizer Elements

Valuable Advice on Means for Sustaining the Productivity of the Soil

A recent United States Agricultural Bulletin says: "In the unusual conditions existing in the fertilizer trade, it is important that all fertilizing materials on the farm, especially those containing potash, should be conserved. The fertilizer ingredients already existing in the soil should be utilized and developed to the fullest extent. A great deal can be accomplished in this direction by deep ploughing, constant cultivation, and thorough tillage. There should be a proper system of rotation. Especially where one crop has been grown for several years, a different one should be planted this year. Green manures and cover crops should be used as much as possible in their proper rotation."

"Of the organic substances, manure, both solid and liquid, is the most important and should be utilized wherever possible. All material of an organic nature, such as leaves and bedding of various sorts, should be composted and the compost applied to the soil. Special attention should be given also to the conservation of wood ashes. Depending on the character of the wood, they contain potash in quantities varying ordinarily from 3 to 10 per cent. All tree trimmings, brush cuttings, etc., should be burned and the ashes therefrom utilized."

"The application of lime to many soils is of undoubted benefit. Though the availability of the fertilizing elements in the soil may not be greatly increased by its use, the resulting improvement in physical and bacterial conditions may increase considerably the productivity of the soil."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Britain's Supremacy

Britain is Supreme in Air and on the Sea

Discussing the new German Fokker, Alan R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of New York, said:

"This new German monoplane will undoubtedly bring out the speedy French and British biplanes, which I understand, have not been used, because of the difficulty of having wide enough landing grounds for them at the theatre of war."

Henry Woodhouse, a governor of the Aero Club, said he had heard about the "Fokker" class planes of the Germans, and was surprised that they had not appeared in the news despatches before.

"Both the British and French have machines that can make the same speed or more than 160 miles an hour, but they have not used them extensively because the Germans were not using them, and they are difficult to handle and trained pilots are scarce. This new development of the Germans does not mean that they will be supreme in the air, except in Russian territory, where they have thousands of aviators to the hundreds of Russians. It takes several thousand aeroplanes and trained aviators to give supremacy."

"As a matter of fact, the British navy has been supreme in the air as well as on the water during the whole war. This is largely due to the large number of 'America' and 'super-America' flying boats, made in this country, which are equipped with two 160-horsepower motors. More than 100 of these great machines and about 500 of the smaller types have been delivered to Great Britain during the last year. One American firm has orders for 1,100 more, including some huge flying boats, which are veritable battle cruisers. Several other firms are constructing large land and water aeroplanes with two and more engines."

"Circumstances alter cases," said the lawyer gravely.

"Yep," said the client. "But in my case it's the circumstances that I'm hiring you to alter."

Nothing slow about the Japanese. A Tokio merchant advertises that his house is despatching customers' houses with the rapidity of a shot from a cannon's mouth."

Greatest Results

often come from simplest means.

For instance—one's daily food plays a big part in deciding for success or failure.

To bring out the best mental and physical forces sound nourishment is imperative.

Grape-Nuts

—A FOOD

made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies in splendid proportion all the rich nourishment of the grains, including the valuable mineral elements, lacking in many foods, but most necessary for vigor and activity of brain and body.

"There's a Reason"

for **Grape-Nuts**

Made in Canada

Sold by Grocers.

Canadian Foodstuffs Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

What Did Little Mary Buy?

1916 Ford Touring Car

FIRST PRIZE

For the Best Reply

\$1000.00

In other Fine Prizes Also Given



JOHN BROWN owns a prosperous grocery store in a thriving Canadian town. He is a live merchant and attributes much of his success to his novel methods of creating interest in his store.

Recently, he took several lines of his regular goods, put them under cover in boxes and barrels, and wrote the name of each article on the outside. Only he and his wife knew the names so that instead of spelling the right name of the article, it spelled something different altogether. For instance box 9 contains Raisins, but Mr. Brown jumbled the letters in the words 'Raisins' until they read 'Si Rains.' Then he

rubbed the word apples off the apple barrel, and jumbled the letters in that name until they read 'Pies Pa,' as you see on barrel 11.

Fourteen lines of goods in Mr. Brown's store were displayed this way, and a prize was given to any customer who could place an order for all fourteen and tell the number of the box each was in. Little Mary went to Brown's store to make her purchases, guessed all the names correctly and won the prize. Can you do as well? Two of the names are already given to you. Start your right. What are the other twelve?

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Complaint Against Canadians

Archdeacon Madden of Liverpool, who died recently after a very short illness, says the Canadian Associated Press, was always fond of relating his Canadian experiences. Of the Canadians he made one complaint—that they would not respond to the humorous side of his speeches. He invited them to encourage him with a little applause, or even groans, but they sat stolid. Even one night when the speeches were long, and the evening late, and the chairman gave out as the closing hymn, "The Morning Light is Breaking," no one smiled.

One day he was strapping-hanging in a Liverpool tram when he heard close by certain mutterings and perceived a strong smell of Scotch. Then up rose a big workman, steady himself for one minute, he glared round on the passengers, saying "Am I the only religious layman in the car? Here Archdeacon, take my seat."

Sugar Production in Canada

At a meeting of the Society of Chemical Industry held in Toronto recently, Dr. Potviet, chief chemist of the Dominion Sugar Company, told of the various processes in the best sugar industry from its origin in 1747, when the beet contained only 2 to 4 per cent. sugar, up to the present content of 15 to 20 per cent. He showed that the yield of wheat and oats was increased 25 to 50 per cent. when planted in rotation with sugar-beets and presaged that, with governmental assistance, as in Europe, the industry would develop so that all the sugar used in Canada might be made here, the present factories supplying only one-tenth of the consumption.

"Ah see yo' is housecleanin'," said Mrs. Snow White.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Marsh Green, "day is nothin' lak movin' things 'round once in awhile. Why I des c-c-c-c-e-r-r-o-s-s a pair of slippers under de bed an' Ah hadn't seen 'em five years."

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THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1916

The Alberta Department of Agriculture announces through the press that it has positions for 2000 good farm laborers. Farmers are anxious to put in as big a crop as possible, and competent farm help is picked up quickly at good wages.

Thousands of people are now counting the time until they can leave for some river or lake for an outing, where they can fight mosquitoes and bugs for a few days, and perhaps get drowned. It is a great thing and many of our ancestors lived and died not knowing what a vacation or an outing meant.

Learn to laugh. A good laugh is better than medicine. Learn how to tell a story. A well told story is a welcome subsean in a sick room. The world is too busy to care for your ills and sorrows. Learn to stop croaking. If you cannot see any good in the world, keep the bad to yourself. Learn to meet everyone with a smile.

A report of the Alberta Department of Agriculture shows that in the fall of 1915 about 1,200 homesteaders from other districts, 4,000 soldiers, and 6,000 laborers from the towns and cities, were engaged in harvesting and threshing in the country for periods ranging from 30 to 90 days, and not a single accident or injury to any laborer was reported. This speaks volumes for the kind of management found on Alberta farms.

Some idea of the wealth which will be produced in Western Canada when the whole country gets down to a mixed farming basis is given by the figures from the Olds district, showing shipments made from that town since the harvesting of the last crop. This district produced and sold, in addition to its wheat crop, 13,000 tons of hay, 200,000 bushels of oats, 10,300 cattle, 9,000 hogs, 270,000 pounds of butter, 204,000 gallons of milk, and \$150,000 worth of horses.

We have just been thinking about the present day hobbies and they create within us a longing for the return of the good old days of our forefathers; days when callused hands warmly clasped each other and kid gloves were unknown; days when at eventide the family gathered at the old fire place and enjoyed the pleasures of home. How different now. Take the average family today and the servant girl is usually the only one at home after the evening meal. The father has gone to lodge, the mother to her club, Jane to the music circle. Kate to the card party. Robert has gone down town for a game of billiards, Peter to the reading room. Verily, we live in a progressive age.

Here are some interesting statistics about Canada's financial position, more especially as it is taken from a recent report made by the New York National City Bank.

"The Dominion has a revenue surplus for the past year of about \$45,000,000, and with the new taxes proposed it is going a long way toward financing the war out of current revenues, which is a very courageous and statesmanlike policy. The treasury is carrying a gold reserve against the Dominion currency issue of \$115,000,000, or 64.2 per cent. of the currency outstanding, and pledges are made that there will be no resort to unsecured paper.

"The foreign trade situation has shown a remarkable reversal. For the year 1913 there was an adverse balance of \$198,500,000, for 1914 there was an adverse balance of \$70,800,000, and for 1915 there was a favorable balance of \$20,700,000.

The big 1915 wheat crop and manufacture of war supplies are responsible for this change. The trade balance is sufficient to take care of a full year's Canadian payments on interest account in London, with perhaps \$50,000,000 over, so that at home and abroad Canada's finances are in good shape.

"The Canadian Bank of Commerce estimates that about forty per cent of the farmers' crop of grain is still in the farmers' hand. There is now full employment for labor, and trade and financial conditions are good. The returns from 48 Canadian cities show building permits amounting to \$34,500,000."

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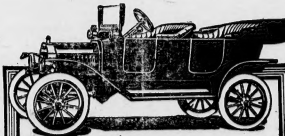
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CANADA IS PAYING THE PENALTY FOR MANY HEAVY FIRE LOSSES

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Farm Labor Conditions

There has been a clean record of no accidents or fires involving the houses, blacksmith shops, or barns. The records also show that there has been no loss of life or property by fire.

The following are some of the statistics:

- There have been 676 fires in dwellings, 89 barns and stables, 394 stores, 10 churches, 10 schools, 26 warehouses, 18 offices, 11 docks and collieries and 29 sheds.
- Sixty-two of the causes of the fires were electrical defects; lamp and lanterns, 20; defective and overheated stoves, furnaces, and chimneys, 11; sparks from chimneys, 10; carelessness, 6; ashes, 8; matches, 68; cigar

Unfortunates are many of those who have lost their homes by fire. In one case, a man had a house for him to live in. It is the general opinion among the people here that it would be desirable in securing satisfactory help that the solution of the farm help problem is to give them more work, higher wages, treatment and housing.—F.C.N. in Conversation.

Praise For British Fleet

Dutle Correspondent Writes of its

8. All of the foregoing causes may be overcome by the exercise of only ordinary prudence. Not only is it necessary to be repeated during current crises. Canada cannot afford to burn up her resources as she has been doing. It is the duty of the Government to husband all our available assets for the great national work in hand.

to the effort to reduce the risk of disease by the use of condoms. The use of condoms is the only way to prevent the spread of HIV, the virus that causes AIDS. The use of condoms is also the only way to prevent the spread of other sexually transmitted diseases. The use of condoms is the only way to prevent the spread of these diseases.

brave and stimulated and cheerful. I have seen many young, unmarried man does not seem to differ in a different race from his elder brethren. I have seen many difficulties. He is simply in an earlier stage of development. It is to a certain extent a natural thing. The world makes the world as he finds it. Many a man of mature age has said, "I wish I had known, when I was a young man, what I know now." I have seen many of the young men of the world who are the family trouble-makers. I know now, but it's too late.

Another kind of useless trouble-makers are those who are afraid to protect young men from their teens and in their twenties. They are afraid to protect them from the British fleet. In the beginning, things looked rather odd. I have heard that the British fleet is very strong. I praise the bravery of German submarines, but they are able to do any thing. The British fleet is very strong. The only torpedoed warships were old and not capable of much speed.

Now, the British fleet has been lost in the North Sea, which has been the fate of certain Teuton submarines. I have seen many of the British fleet in the bottom of the sea. The tremendous importance of the fleet in the world war is often underestimated and undervalued. I have seen many of the British fleet in its own country. People are

save families, they will recognize and realize the situation. But then it may be too late. Either the Germans will dominate us or the world will be saved from the Germans by the older men without the aid of the younger men of Canada. We sincerely hope that the

Anger Canadians will not be placed in the same category as the British. The married men are more willing to call in than young, single men who seem strange at first. But the latter are more likely to be in the front line. The possibility grows by what it feeds on. The more responsibility a man assumes, the more he is likely to be in the front line. A family man who is indignant because of the outrages on the women of Belgium is more likely to be in the front line than men and babies by Zeppelin bombs.

In appealing to the young, it is necessary to give them a concrete example. It is necessary to arouse the sense of responsibility. Ours is the great advantage of the British. We have a

some unit—a division, a squadron, a flotilla or maybe a group of smaller units. They are in the front line and they then quicken into movement and pass out of the anchorage.

The North Sea has been constantly patrolled by some 200 German submarines of the grand fleet and not a German vessel of any size has been seen outside their mine fields since the beginning of 1917 when they paid so heavily for their tenacity. The one-though they pre-empted the British. They have been a hope to meet the enemy again. The one though which runs through the North Sea is the British fleet. It is to avoid meeting the British fleet.

Agricultural Production in France
The cultivation of every parcel of land in France is the duty of the agricultural production is the aim of the French government, and to bring each peasant into the ranks of the nation as temporarily as a farmer. A bill has been prepared under the direction of the minister of agriculture obliging the owners of uncultivated land to begin tillage within six weeks after the first of March, or to give the land over to the state, or to have it entered later. If land is not cultivated

discontinued in Berlin and dismal old London as long as the "Zepp" danger lasts. One of the most noted public clocks of the great metropolis that will cease to chime and strike the hours and quarters at nights is "Big Ben," at Westminster. The bell of Mrs. "B" occasionally washed over within the time specified, the one provides that mayors of communities have the right to requisition the ground and order its cultivation, which will be done under the direction of town committees, the towns to assure the funds necessary to carry on this work. A municipal or agricultural

crack bell, originally cast in 1856. A crack and flaw in the metal necessitated recasting and two and a half tons less material were used in the process; the clapper weighs six hundredweight. After a time the second bell developed a crack which has been

out. The quarters are rung by bells weighing $4\frac{1}{2}$ tons, 2 tons $1\frac{1}{2}$ tons, and 1 ton respectively. The note of the bell is E natural, the quarter bells being G, B, E, F. A chime, like a peal, consist of several bells tuned in harmony. Chimes usually accom-

many the striking of bells, half hours and quarters, and are generally sounded by clockwork. The heaviest bell in the United Kingdom is "Great Paul," which was hung in St. Paul's Cathedral in 1882. It weighs 17½ tons and is rung only on special occasions, such as the death of a member of the royal

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Production and Thrift

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MR. J. H. GRISDALE, Director, and the Superintendents of the Dominion Experimental Farms, urge the following upon the Farmers:

STUBBLE LAND OF FIRST CROP AFTER FALLOW

Burn stubble thoroughly to soon as surface is dry. Fire about noon time when steady wind is blowing. Cultivate at once about two inches deep, then sow the wheat and harrow immediately afterwards. If possible, where area is large, harrow first, then cultivate, seed and harrow again. In Eastern Saskatchewan sow 1 1/2 bush. per acre; in Western Saskatchewan 1 1/4 bush. On light soils and dry lands sow 1 1/2 bush. less.

STUBBLE LAND OF SECOND CROP AFTER FALLOW

Usually this land should be summer-fallowed, but this year much of it must be in crop. Burn stubble if possible. This may be helped by scattering straw freely over the field. Wry old sods about the end of a 4-foot stick. Dip in gasoline. Set on fire and shake on straw and stubble. Carry gasoline in open pan. If stubble is too tight to burn then cultivate, harrow and seed a little lighter than above. Oats and barley will do better than wheat. If she drills are used plough instead of cultivating. Plough, peck or roll, and then harrow, if land is heavy or sandy. In the drier sections of about one-third of all cropping land should be summer-fallowed every year.

STUBBLE LAND OF THIRD CROP AFTER FALLOW

Do not sow to grain, but summer-fallow. Better use your spring labour on other stubble land and thus make sure of crops in 1916 and 1917. Put your labour on land that is likely to give best returns.

SEED

Buy only clean, plump seed of tested variety. Use the fanning mill thoroughly and test seed for smut. Have horses, harness and machines in good shape before starting work.

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Mrs. R. H. Hogg Gets The \$5 Prize

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This was not Mrs. Hogg's first attempt to secure the prize, in fact a week previous she won and right past the \$5 and went to the nearest neighbor, A. R. Tudhope, but undaunted she determined to get the money for the Red Cross and finally succeeded. Don't think Mr. Hyndman's enterprise ends here. Read his ads and you will find interest and value.

P.C.S.Co. Have 200 Head of Registered Shorthorns For Sale

The famous Shorthorn herd of 200 registered head belonging to Mr. Tappan of Infall will be purchased the other day by the P.C.S.Co. They will be shipped to Gleichen within the next few days and will be offered for sale at very moderate prices. Among them are several A.I. milk cows. The company also have a large assortment of bulls for sale.

Roy M. Allen and Roy Clemmens left on Saturday on a business trip to Medicine Hat.

J. L. McCrimmon returned Monday from a brief visit to his relatives in Claresholm.

Mr. Brown and Mrs. Turner arrived from Assin, Ontario, last week to visit their son and brother, H. E. Brown.

Th relay next will be 81 day. Watch our windows and see what you can buy for one dollar, at the Hicks Trading Co.

A representative of the 13th O. M. R. is coming from Medicine Hat to spend this week in Gleichen and states this will be the last chance to join a mounted unit. He wants 30 men. "let busy boys."

B. M. McConnell was a visitor to town from Vancouver on Monday.

Keep your eyes on Hyndman. He will have something to say to you of interest.

J. L. Laycock has relinquished his lease of the Gleichen Opera House and for the past week no moving pictures have been shown. No announcement of the future use of the hall has yet been made.

A "Book Tea" in aid of St. Andrew's Church, will be given at the residence of Mrs. Walter James on April 11th from 3.30 p.m. to 6 p.m. Everybody is cordially invited.

Coming Events

Charges are 25c per line under Coming Events heading unless otherwise advertised with the Call.
Women's Institute—First Wednesday in each month:
Monday—All changes required by noon at Call office.
Every Monday—Old-falls.
Council meetings—First Friday in each month.
First Tuesday after the full of the moon—Regular meeting of Gleichen Lodge No. 36, A. F. & A. M.
Every Thursday—K. of P.
Fourth Friday in each month—Regular meeting of Alberta Star Chapter No. 18, O. E. B.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A Sitting of the District Court will be held at GLEICHEN on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12th, commencing at 10 a.m.
DATED at Edmonton, 8th March, 1916.
A. G. Browning,
Deputy Attorney General.

"Wanted—A reliable man" read Mrs. Bascom from the advertising columns of the Call. Then she raised her glasses upon her forehead, looked severely at her husband, and remarked: "And the world'll wait a considerable number of centuries yet before it gets him."

A husband on being told that his wife had lost her temper, replied that he was glad of it, for it was a very bad one.

What do you think of a man who will, as the table, tell the Lord he is thankful for the things before him, but as soon as he says "Amen" will begin storming about the cooking.

The other day a man happened to stroll into a store where they don't advertise, and was looking around among relics of ancient days stored there, when he ran across a man who was wanted on a charge of murder, and who had remained safely hidden there for years.

The willing and decaying fruits and vegetables that are in the house cellar in the spring may cause sickness and a doctor's bill that will set up a year's profit.

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1 Northern 97
2 Northern 94
3 Northern 89
4 Northern 84
5 Northern 78
6 Northern 68
Feed 61
2 C. W. Oats 30
Ex. 1 Feed Oats 27
3 Barley 40
4 Barley 34
5 Barley 25
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